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RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Election Requirement mailed December 4, 2001,  
applicant(s) hereby elects to prosecute Group II claims, claims 1-10 and 24 drawn to  
a method of making a semiconductor device. As such, applicant(s) elects to  
withdraw Group I claims, claims 11-23 and 25 drawn to a semiconductor device.

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